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12. [REDACTED] Met briefly with Bill Woodruff, Counsel,
Senate Appropriations Committee, who was on his way to a meeting of the
Defense Subcommittee. He said they would be marking up the Defense
Appropriations bill next week.

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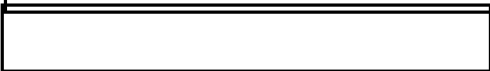
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Talked to Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, about Chairman McClellan's reaction to the matter of withdrawals from our Reserves. He said on two recent issues, McClellan indicated he planned to raise the matter with the Director before the full Subcommittee at an early date, particularly on the question of "how do these projects serve U.S. interests?" Woodruff said he explained to McClellan some of the activities involved were carried out on the direct orders of the President and the Agency was merely acting as executive agent. However, McClellan indicated he would look to the Director for an explanation and justification.

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Met with Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate

Appropriations Committee, whom I briefed on a current question of withdrawal from the Reserves. He said he would take this up with Chairman McClellan the first of the week, but could not predict how McClellan would react since this was the first time such matters had been brought to his attention. During the ensuing luncheon with Woodruff he talked freely about the general political situation on the Hill and his own plans. He said McClellan was adding some much needed personnel strength to the Committee staff and will probably be making other changes in the days ahead. He predicts McClellan will be tough and demanding but far more orderly and satisfactory to work with than Ellender.

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